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Sir:

This supplements the Information Disclosure Statement filed August 12, 1998. Submitted herewith is an English translation of Japanese document number 59/045944, provided to the Patent Office in that Information Disclosure Statement, together with a copy of Form 1449 listing this translation. Entry thereof into the file is respectfully requested.

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